GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS RAJYA SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO. 1030 TO BE ANSWERED ON JULY 28, 2021

PPP FOR CITY BUS SERVICES

NO. 1030. SHRI RAM NATH THAKUR:

Will the Minister of HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

- a) whether it is a fact that Government intends to introduce Public Private Partnership (PPP) Programme for operation of city bus services;
- b) whether the State of Bihar would also be included in the said scheme if this programme is unveiled; and
- c) if so, how Government plans to reorganize the urban transport system by including the State of Bihar in the said scheme?

ANSWER

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOUSING AND URBAN AFFAIRS (SHRI KAUSHAL KISHORE)

- (a) &(b): Yes, Sir.
- (c): Urban Transport is an integral part of Urban Development, which is a State subject. The responsibility to organize the urban transport system including city bus services lies with the respective State Governments/Union Territories.
